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Wrangell, The Sportsman's Paradise

There is no denying the fact that Wrangell is IT when it comes to ducks and geese, and every man who loves to hear the whistle of their wings and see them come tumbling down as the result of a well aimed shot, can come and get his fill of shooting. There's no restrictions, no preserves, no rules, nothing, in fact, of any kind to interfere with your pleasure as long as you stay inside the legal limit. The birds are here aplenty, ready for the man with the desire to go after them, and the skill to bag them when he does go.

Wrangell is indeed the sportsman's paradise, for there's everything here a man can wish for game—big, medium and small, and all easily gotten. No long tramps to get to the hunting grounds. They are here, right at our door.

A fact that proves that South-eastern Alaska, and Wrangell in particular, has the finest climate on earth was very forcibly brought home to the Editor last Monday when a fine bunch of lettuce, grown by Ole Johnson out of doors, was handed to him and eaten at his evening meal. The lettuce was as fine as any we have ever tasted and in no way strong or bitter.

This fact would not be believed by any of our eastern friends who are now in the grip of winter and having to dig the snow from their doors of a morning before they can reach the side walks. Alaska is the only place anyway.

The east is snowed under but our snow is still confined to the mountain tops.

Huerta will neither resign nor run away. How that man does upset other people's calculations.

Ducks! ducks! ducks! everywhere! The hunting on the flats this year is better than for many a year, as they are there in untold numbers, as was proven by the parties that are returning every day with their limit. The editor is getting his share too, as he received two nice big fat ones, killed by Oscar Case the first of the week.

The Philippine assembly is slightly premature in considering President Wilson's recent message a "categorical declaration of the purpose of the nation to recognize the independence of the islands." President Wilson is not the nation; neither is his message susceptible of any such interpretation.

Good-by our little gas-boat
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The Supreme Court of the United States recently made a ruling which in substance makes the subscriber who takes his paper out of the post office and refuses to pay the subscription, guilty of felony and liable of arrest, as any other who defrauds.

The following is a synopsis of the United States Supreme Court decision regarding delinquent subscriptions and is published as a matter of information for subscribers:

1. Subscribers who do not give express notice to the contrary are considered as wishing to renew their subscription.
2. Subscribers ordering the discontinuance of their periodical the publisher may continue to send it until all arrearages are paid.
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4. If subscribers move to other places without informing the publisher and any papers are sent to the former address, subscribers are responsible.
5. Courts have decided that refusing periodicals from the office or moving and leaving them uncalled for is prima facie evidence of intention to defraud.
6. If subscribers pay in advance they are bound to give notice at the end of that time if they do not want to continue taking it, otherwise the publisher is authorized to send it and the subscriber will be responsible until an express notice with payment is sent to the publisher.

In discussing the question of a tax for the town of Cordova, the Alaska Times says that it would be well that a liberal valuation be placed on town property. If this is done a levy of one per cent will take care of the obligations of the town for a year. This would be a better advertisement for the town than a smaller valuation with a larger per cent of taxes.

Harry Kemp, "tramp poet," is in the arms of the English law as a stowaway. He had an "irresistible desire" to see England. He hid himself away in a liner, intending to travel for nothing. If he belongs to that class of irresponsible who are unable to control their "irresistible desires."

TO THE VICTOR BELONGS THE SPOILS

The postmaster general has already virtually nullified the order placing fourth class postmasters civil service; the congress, in framing the income tax provision of the tariff law, created from 300 to 400 special clerkships in the treasury, with specific provision that they should not be filled by civil service, and when the conference committee was considering the tariff bill for the last time some ingenious democrat slipped in a "joker" which virtually empowers the secretary of the treasury to weed out every republican in the internal revenue service and fill the vacancies without civil service examination.

Postmaster General Bureson steadily and rapidly is prying out of office republican postmasters. In some of the eastern states he is throwing them out by wholesale; in other states, the substitution of democrats for republicans is going ahead less rapidly, but it is Mr. Bureson's plan, before he retires from office, to wipe clean the slate of postmasters and to substitute democrats for republicans.

The Matthison Mining Company of Hope are in the coarse pay that is better than any they have ever before uncovered. Last week they had one of the largest clean-ups that they have had since they started to mine on Resurrection creek. A three days run netted them the tidy sum of \$1800.00 or six hundred dollars per shift. The Matthisons have formed a stock company and the stock is held and owned exclusively by members of the family. They have a very complete hydraulic plant on the ground and a careful estimate of the ground shows that they have and are the sole owners of it and that they will not be able to work it out before sometime in September in the year 2007. In the meantime they will be taking out money every year from their little Resurrection gold pit, and bid fair soon to become members of the predatory rich, and the strange part of it is that there is not a "sour dough" on the whole Kenai peninsula but wishes them the best luck with their property.

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LOCAL BRIEFS

The Wabash arrives.

How is Your subscription.

For Rent:—Rooms and lower floor, inquire at Shingle mill.

Billy Hood is having the interior of his pool room papered and painted this week.

S. E. Buell, "Knight of the Grip" was in town calling on local merchants this week.

A very pleasant dance was given by "Johnny" Grant at the Wrangell Hotel last Saturday night.

Capt. Jinks built a new portion to his sidewalk making it wider during the last week.

Marshall Schnabel and most of the Grand Jury returned from Ketchikan the first of the week.

L. M. Churchill has improved his residence the last week by adding a new porch to the front.

A. Bissett manager of the Vancouver Salvage Co., who are raising the Curacao, is in town for a few days.

Frank Clarke has the contract for building a new modern three room house on Church street for Joe Baronovitch.

With this week the Petit Jury ought to be through in Ketchikan and the Wabash with a party is due most any week now.

The big freighter Leelanaw of the Skagway Steamship Company was in port yesterday and unloaded about 20 tons of coal for J. G. Grant.

The Spokane called at the Wrangell Sanitary Cannery last night on her way South and loaded considerable canned salmon.

Mrs. Shurick and son Jerry, and Mrs. B. Y. Grant left the first of the week for Seattle where Jerry will enter school. They expect to be gone about two weeks.

Any person having seen or heard anything of Fred Hooker, please send information to Ann Hooker, Ketchikan, Alaska. Box 73. Other papers please copy

The Duckland with Capt. Jack Borge and Jim Green aboard left Tuesday for a business trip and pleasure trip to Scow Bay and Petersburg.

"Jack" Bender of the motion picture fame underwent an operation for a growth in the nose last Saturday and was laid up for a couple of days. Dr. Dawes performed the operation.

Joe Ensley is busy hauling gravel from the creek near the shingle mill to the school grounds this week. The improvement is being made by the Civic Improvement Club and the Wrangell Motor Boat Club.

The Princess Sophia of the Canadian Pacific S. S. Line, went south last Saturday with 240 through passengers from Skagway to Victoria. This is one of the biggest loads of passengers that has went out this year and they were sleeping on every spot available on the ship.

A. Bissett, manager of the Vancouver Salvage Co., who are salvaging the Curacao, will be a passenger out on the Uncle Dan or Warm Chuck where the Curacao lays, to store his machinery used in raising her for the winter. Mr. Bissett says that the boat will be raised early in the spring.

On exhibition at the Tanana saloon is the petrified foot of a man which was recently brought in from Cleary creek, where it has been for the past two years. The thing is an object of wonder to many who are observing it, as it clearly shows that it has at one time been the leg and foot of a man. That the member was encased in a muckluck is also clearly shown by the string marks just below the knee. This freak of nature was found in the Ineko country several years ago by Lon Doggett. It was sent to Fairbanks by him and until recently its whereabouts was not known. It is now to be sent out to George Butler's saloon in Seattle, it being the intention of James Hunter to take it when he leaves on one of News-Miner.

NEWS GATHERED FROM NORTHERN EMPIRE

When the steamer Peerless reached Windham bay, below Juneau, the crew joined the stampede to the district where the rich quartz was recently found. The Peerless had to wait for the return of the men and was delayed several days.

L. A. Decker arrived in Cordova en route to the states from the Upper Bremner district where he had spent several months prospecting. He had 16 ounces of gold dust and believes that district will turn out good when extensively prospected.

While in Fairbanks recently Col. W. P. Richardson, of the Alaska road commission secured some excellent photographs of a group of autos which will be used to convince the outsiders that the people of Alaska appreciate the auto as a means of locomotion.

The Ames-Cromwell expedition from Edmonton arrived safely in Dawson after a thousand mile journey down the Mackenzie river, across the portage to the Yukon, making moving pictures all the way. Emehson Hough, a Chicago novelist, was among the party.

The Pueblo conger property at Whitehorse, the property of W. B. Close, the Chicago capitalist, and associates will not ship ore during the coming winter, but development work will be prosecuted in such a way as to permit it to make big shipments next summer.

The Pacific Cold Storage Co. of Nome recently shipped out the carcasses of one hundred reindeer and the meat will be sent to cities all along the Coast and to Eastern points. The bulk of the meat was sent to Kansas City for some season, orders having been placed in advance.

At a marshal's sale in Nome, John Lutschinger bought an interest in the Golden Cow claim for \$5. The claim has since turned out to be rich and every bucket hoisted is worth the amount he paid for his interest. Laymen, have drifted across the paystreak for a distance of 140 feet and are still in pay. It averages better than ten cents per pan.

Lieut. Howard, Homer Olt and two soldiers who were sent into the Chisana to make a report on conditions there have returned to Valdez, and their report is favorable. Olt, one of the party, has spent 10 years in the north. He states that considering the amount of work done the camp has shown more gold than any other which has been reported for years. In fact very little development work has been done except where the gold is actually being taken out.

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A letter to a Juneau citizen from Commissioner D'Heirly, of Chitina, asks as to the disposition of personal effects found on the body of Dan Crowley, who was drowned in the Nizina river; \$308.05 in cash, a jack knife and five nuggets were found on the body. The commissioner writes that \$40.49 of the cash, the five nuggets and the jack knife are left. It is apparently as expensive to die up in that part of the country as it is to live.

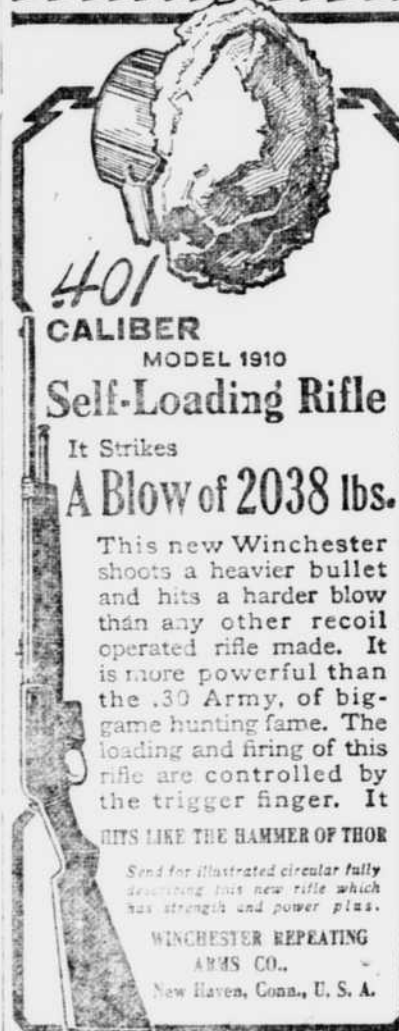
Word comes from Juneau that our own "Billy" Short is working as clerk at the Occidental Hotel in that city. Billy is there when it comes to hotel work and knows most everybody in Alaska.

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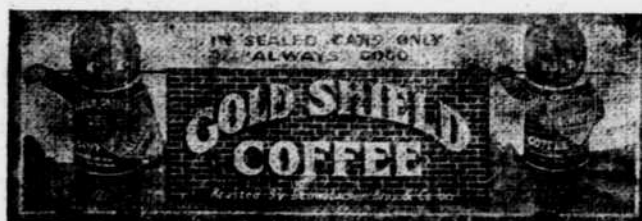
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